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Applicant hereby petitions for a <u>two month</u> extension of time to respond to the Notice of Appeal dated <u>June 18, 2003</u>, extending the due date from <u>August 18, 2003</u> to <u>October 20, 2003</u> (October 18, 2003 being a Saturday).

In accordance with the Transmittal Sheet attached herewith, please charge the appropriate extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0439.

Respectfully submitted,

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